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JAP AMBASSADOR LEAVES CAPITAL

Hanahari Starts For Tokio, Believing Immigration Question Must be Reconsidered.

CLOSED BOOK WITH U. S.

Thought Hanahari Fears Trouble Unless More Satisfactory Agreement is Reached.

By The United Press.
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 11.—Leaving Washington today, M. Hanahari, retiring Japanese Ambassador, will return to his country content that more satisfactory agreement must be reached between the United States and Japan on the immigration law, in order to avoid trouble.

Hanahari made no statement for publication, as to the seriousness with which the Japanese regard the exclusion bill. It is understood, however, that although he believes that the outward demonstration against America will soon end, the feeling of the Japanese will continue under the surface.

Hanahari leaves today for San Francisco, and will sail from there on the Corea. It is officially said that he has not yet resigned, but is visiting Japan on leave. It is understood here, however, that he will probably not return as Ambassador.

The future course of Japan with regard to the American question is expected to be worked out when Hanahara confers with the Tokio government. It is believed doubtful if any important steps will be taken before the November elections in this country, and there is every indication that it is not regarded as a closed incident.

The American government regards the immigration question as a closed incident, showing what opposite attitudes the two governments are taking on the one disturbing factor between them.

ON LOOKOUT FOR ROBBERS

Futch Notified of Attempted Bank Hold-up in Ballinger.

Special Santa Fe Agent W. T. Futch was notified here Thursday immediately after the attempted robbery of the First National Bank at Rowena, to be on the look-out for the two robbers, but officers captured the pair near Ballinger late Thursday afternoon and placed them in jail there.

The arrest followed a sensational automobile chase after the men had fought with the cashier of the bank and were frightened away without obtaining any money. The robbers were both young men and gave their home as San Angelo. This was the second attempt to rob the bank this year.

The Reporter carried the first news of the daring hold-up Thursday afternoon, a few hours after the men were captured.

SETS NEW RECORD

English Runner Lowers World Mark in 400 Meter Race.

By The United Press.
COLOMBES STADIUM, PARIS, France, July 11.—America's hopes for winning the 400 meter race at the Olympic games, raised by the remarkable performance of Horatio Sitch of Chicago in the semi-finals, were lost today when La Belle, of England, won the finals, in the new world record time of 47 3-5 seconds.

W. O. W. Circle to Meet.

The Woodman Circle will hold a special called meeting Saturday evening at the hall. The main question to decide will be whether the Circle prepares to go to Colorado to attend the July meeting on the 21, with the local degree staff to assist in putting on their work. All members are urged to attend the Saturday evening meeting.

SPOT COTTON MARKETS

By The Sweetwater Cotton Exchange

	Today	Yesterday
New York	3065	3025
New Orleans	29.45	28.40
Dallas		28.40
Galveston	29.25	28.75
Sweetwater	23.50	23.00

Lorain May Use Sight Seers To Aid Rebuilding

By The United Press.
LORAIN, Ohio, July 11.—Lorain is considering exhibiting her storm scars as a means of raising funds for rehabilitation.

Officials believe that \$25,000 can be raised in a short time by opening the city to sight seers. Excursions would be run from Ohio, cities, and the excursionists forced to pay tolls at the city limits. Guides would be furnished by the city who could furnish details of the \$20,000,000 loss.

CARNIVAL READY

Many Entries in Water Events For Library Benefit at Santa Fe Lake Tuesday Afternoon.

The plans for the water carnival to be given next Tuesday afternoon for the benefit of the Public Library are being completed and everything points to a most enjoyable occasion.

The Santa Fe Lake Club will throw open the gates to the park and extend the ladies the use of the lake and their bath houses for the carnival. Those who attend are invited to take along a picnic supper and remain after the contests are over for a pleasant picnic party.

Premium list is being prepared, with suitable gifts for each event. In some cases a first and second prize will be given. There will be a prize given for the prettiest bathing suit and another given for the most modest bathing suit. The girls and grown women will be classed together.

There will be a fat man's swimming race, watermelon race for the boys, and another for the men. Tub races are being arranged for two classes of boys; one between ten and twelve and another between twelve and sixteen. Contestants are to furnish their own tubs. Every woman over 20 who enters the water will be suitably rewarded and all girls between fifteen and eighteen who take part in any event will receive a prize.

Those in charge of the program wish to make this one of the most pleasant events of the kind ever held in Sweetwater and will appreciate the co-operation of all. Chief of Police Johnson, will be "Marshal of the Day" and will take all needed traffic precautions and otherwise as the needs arise to prevent accidents either on land or in the water. List of events and prizes will appear in Sunday's Reporter.

Mrs. M. E. Boone of Cleburne has returned to her home after a visit here with her son, W. P. Ferrell, and Mrs. Ferrell.

Sweetwater Girl Marries.

Miss Dorothy Fultz was married Monday in Abilene to W. O. Fagan, who has been living here for several months past. Miss Dorothy is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fultz and was reared and educated here. She is accomplished and popular with a large circle of friends. Following their honeymoon they have not announced their plans.

Miss Lorena Kelsey has visited college friends at Plainview for several days past, and will remain several days longer.

Mrs. Ben Simmons of Cleburne is in the city to spend several weeks visiting her sister, Mrs. G. H. Graves in the Orient Addition.

Mrs. R. S. Calvert enjoyed a visit today from Mr. and Mrs. Willie Guber and Mrs. Walter Woodard of Coleman as they were enroute to Plainview to spend the week-end.

May Be Speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Satterwhite of Amarillo passed through Sweetwater Friday morning and took the Sunshine Special east. Mr. Satterwhite is legislative representative from his home district and his election to the speakership of the next Legislature is practically assured, it is understood.

Mrs. Jenks Meeke, accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. Julia Baker of Castle-dale, Utah, arrived in the city Friday afternoon to visit her brother, G. H. Graves and family.

COOLIDGE BACK AT WORK TODAY SAYS SPLAWN NOT NOMINATED

Presidential Party Arrived in Washington Friday After Burial of Calvin Jr.

MRS. COOLIDGE BRAVE

Friends of President Believe Hard Work Will Prove Tonic—Goes to Office at Once.

By The United Press.
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 11.—President Coolidge was back at his desk once more today. He had buried his youngest son.

The presidential party reached Washington at 7:20 o'clock this morning, after an all night ride from Plymouth, Virginia, where young Calvin is now at rest.

Mrs. Coolidge was very tired. She bore her grief bravely. The President walked to his limousine with a slow step, but firm in his carriage. After breakfast at the White House, he returned to his desk at the executive offices, and grimly set in on the mass of work that had piled up during his brief absence.

Friends of the President believe that hard work will be a tonic to him. They feel that routine labors will serve to relieve him of the full grief accompanying his loss.

Weather.
Tonight and Saturday, partly cloudy, scattered showers.

Mrs. Ray Hickman has returned from a visit of several days at Post City with relatives.

IN EUROPE SOON PLAN NEW HOMES

American Fliers Arrive at Constantinople—Smith Reports Trio in Fine Condition.

By The United Press.
CONSTANTINOPLE, July 11.—America's "round the world flight" is progressing step by step with out a hitch, and Lieuts. Smith, Nelson, and Wade will be in Europe on the next hop.

The U. S. airmen arrived here from Aleppo yesterday, after a nine-hour flight. Tomorrow they will leave for the Balkans, flying to Bucharest. Lt. Smith reported all the fliers in good physical condition.

REBEL IN BULGARIA
Martial Law Following Killing of Officials, Reported.

By The United Press.
ATHENS, Greece, July 11.—Martial law has been declared in a Bulgarian state, following an uprising and rebellion in which several officials were reported killed and many federal soldiers and rebels shot down in the clashes between troops, it was reported here today.

A dispatch received here stated that the uprising started a week ago, and had taken the form of a revolution. Federal troops are reported to have captured 700 rebels.

CONTROL REVOLT

Brazil Rebels Reported Surrounded by Federals.

By The United Press.
BUENOS AIRES, Brazil, July 11.—The government is now reported to have complete control of the revolt in Sao Paulo. Indications are that the remainder of the rebels are surrounded by a large Federal force.

A number of prisoners have arrived from Santos. The rebels concentrated their forces in the Luz and Santa Anna barracks.

RAINS REPORTED

Territory North and East of Sweetwater Are Remembered.

Heavy rains in various portions of the territory north and east of Sweetwater have been reported recently. Two nights ago the downpour reached nearly to the city and again Thursday a good rain was reported at Merkel. Longworth and other Fisher County communities were remembered.

Heavy rains north and west of Lubbock were also reported Thursday.

Assistant Attorney General Hands Down Opinion Limiting Powers of State Committee.

SPLAWN MAY WITHDRAW

Successor May Be Named by State Committee, or Written in in July Primary Election.

By The United Press.

AUSTIN, Texas, July 11.—In an opinion handed down by Assistant Attorney General L. C. Sutton, and backed by the department, the state Democratic executive committee has no authority to put a name on the ballot as the nominee of the party. The committee is expressly prohibited from making a nomination, except where a nominee dies or declines.

The opinion points out that Dr. Splawn, recently elected president of the University of Texas, has not yet been nominated for railroad commissioner, and may therefore retire to become president of the University by one of two methods:

He may hold the office until after the primary, become nominated by the fact that there are no other candidates for the office and it is too late for other names to be filed, then resign, and the state committee will select his successor;

He may withdraw as a candidate for railroad commissioner, and the people will be free to write in the names of their choice for the office at the July election.

J. F. Newman to Build \$25,000 Residence—Mose Newman Also Expects to Build.

A new brick residence, estimated to cost over \$25,000, by Mrs. J. F. Newman, as well as a new home to be built some time in the near future by Mose Newman are recent developments in the building program of Sweetwater.

The old J. F. Newman home was built in 1883. It is one of the oldest houses in Sweetwater and for many years one of the best. It has now been torn down and plans for a new modern brick home estimated to cost over \$25,000 have been accepted. The new home is being built by Mrs. J. F. Newman, who is at present on a visit to relatives in Navarre County. The new home will be the residence of Mrs. Newman as well as her sons, Cap and Auti, when the latter are not out on the Fisher County ranch of the Newmans.

A deal has been practically closed between Dr. R. R. Allen of Roby and Mose Newman for the purchase of the latter's home. The consideration was not made public but was reported in the neighborhood of \$7,000. Mose Newman has not announced his plans as yet but it is understood that he will build a handsome new home somewhere in the same neighborhood that his present home is located.

Dr. Allen, it is understood, plans to move to Sweetwater some time this fall, about the first of October, with his family. He has been a practicing physician in Fisher County for many years and has the highest reputation, both in his profession and as a citizen.

Washouts Delay Trains.

Trains on the T-P were again delayed Friday on account of wash-outs and a de-railed engine near El Paso. The Sunshine Special, east bound, due to arrive in Sweetwater at 8:35 was an hour late, while No. 6, due at 10:30 p. m., was nearly 12 hours late and was scheduled to arrive in Sweetwater at 10 o'clock Friday morning. The washouts are between Findley and Small, east of El Paso where heavy rains have made the tracks loose. An engine was de-railed at the washout Thursday and his also delayed the trains.

Mrs. J. T. Prim and sister, Mrs. Anna Birthright of Commerce are spending a few days visiting their sister, Mrs. R. W. Webb at Snyder.

The man who rolls his socks has no kick coming when his girl asks him for a cigarette.

Murderer Smokes Cigarette As He Goes to Gallows

TALLADEGA, Ala., July 11.—Gordon Fincher, farmer of Taladega County, was hanged today for the murder of 17 year old Maybelle McCollough, an orphan. He went to the gallows with a cigarette between his lips.

When Fincher had finished smoking, the noose was placed around his neck, and the trap sprung. The girl was slain last year. Her mutilated body was found five days later, with her throat cut.

ESCAPES JAIL

Mexican Arrested as Vagrant Believed to Have Stolen and Abandoned Automobile.

Officers here are attempting to locate a Mexican man about 35 years old who escaped from the city jail Thursday night, and it is thought that his arrest will clear the mystery of a stolen automobile which was found in a ditch Friday morning in south Sweetwater, west of the Sweetwater Sanitarium. The car was a Ford with a boxed delivery body and belonged to the Heath Tailoring Co.

The Mexican was arrested Thursday night by Chief of Police Johnson and was locked up as a vagrant and suspicious character. He appeared to be crazy, it is stated, and would answer but few questions. Later in the night, a group of negroes who were in the jail began shouting that a man had escaped and investigation showed that a plank had been pulled loose and some bricks worked out of the wall, leaving a small hole which the man evidently crawled through. Officers made a search for the Mexican but no trace was found. It is stated that after escaping, he attempted to start a car belonging to Rip Bell parked near the fire station, but was frightened off before he could crank the auto.

The stolen car was taken from in front of the residence of Horace Heath in Highland Heights. The driver of the car was either inexperienced or intoxicated, officers stated, as tracks showed that the whole road was required by the driver. The car was found Friday morning in a shallow ditch, and signs showed that one man had worked quite a while attempting to get it out. The driver was slightly injured, it is thought, as small spots of blood were found on the car and on the ground.

The tracks about the car were similar to those left by the Mexican who escaped jail.

CALLES GAINS LEAD
Goes Ahead of Flores in Mexico City Balloting.

By The United Press.
MEXICO CITY, July 11.—P. Elias Calles led General Flores in the presidential balloting in Mexico City today. The count gave Calles 41,000 and Flores 8,000.

The Minister of the Interior and the Governor of the Federal District said that they had reasons to know that some of Calles' enemies were planning a revolution. They stated that they had the matter in hand, however.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Breeding have returned from a vacation trip to Denton and points in Oklahoma.

Miss Shipley Injured.

Miss Mable Shipley suffered a probable broken arm and minor injuries when she slipped from a five-foot bridge Thursday, falling to the bottom of a small ditch. Her injuries were treated by a physician and she is reported doing nicely.

Miss Estelle Stiles returned last night from a wonderful trip to Virginia. She was the guest of Mrs. Ned Shelor at Roanoke, Va., and saw many points of interest enroute.

Judge and Mrs. A. S. Mauzey attended on Odd Fellows Picnic at Pylon Friday. They were accompanied by Miss Ruth Davis who gave a reading number of the program.

Miss Trambille Lawrence of Miles is visiting her aunt, Mrs. H. A. Bullock.

FERGUSON'S AX FALLS ON MANY

"Farmer Jim" Attacks State Extravagance, Educational System, Hurls Blow at Ku Klux Klan.

WOULD ABOLISH STATE KLAN

Gives Proposed "Remedy"—Outlines Ferguson Platform, Says Impached 'By Inhuman Judgment'

Attacking the vast system of extravagance which he said was running riot in Austin, razing unmercifully the Ku Klux Klan and taking a deep dig at higher and "high brow" education, showing how the state government had gone to rack since he had been governor and telling what his wife would do when she was elected to the office, "Farmer" Jim Ferguson, impeached Governor of Texas stumping for his wife's candidacy for Governor, spoke two hours to a packed house at the court house Thursday afternoon.

He told in detail of the "Ferguson Platform" and outlined just how state expenses would receive the pruning knife, when his wife got in office when 15 million dollars of expenses would be cut. This included cutting pay of members of the Legislature from \$275,000 to \$100,000, doing away with a number of useless offices, cutting down appropriations for the adjutant general's department, lowering the force of Texas Rangers, lowering appropriations for agriculture and stopping in general the "robbery of the treasury" that he said was now going on.

Defines Custodian's Duty.

Among the offices which Ferguson said would be cut down was the office of "custodian of the files." This custodian, he stated, received \$2,400 a year for just looking at a row of old musty books every day.

"He comes down to the office every morning," said Ferguson, "looks at a bunch of old files and books on a shelf, books no one would have anyway, then he gets a free shine from a negro porter, goes out on the street in the shade and talks politics the remainder of the day. And this is repeated every day while the tax payers dance to the tune of \$2,400 a year."

He told how he made the prison system of Texas pay returns while he was in office and how it had lost money since other governors had occupied the chair. He opposes working convicts on state roads, he said, and candidates who favor this are foolish in his opinion. He referred often to the "poor convicts" and told of his visit to the penitentiary while Governor and how conditions and life of the "poor convicts" were there.

Farmers Who Won't Farm.

In speaking of education, Ferguson said that too many people were going "hog wild about higher education—high brow education." He referred to the "high brow students of the higher institutions" and stated that if a "fellow wants a higher education, let him pay for it. He can go as high as his pocketbook will carry him." He scored sharply the products turned out of Texas University and A. & M. College, and said at A. & M. they educated "mechanics that won't work and farmers that won't farm." When Mrs. Ferguson is elected Governor and the Ferguson platform is in action, he said \$1,000,000 would be vetoed from A. & M., \$1,000,000 from Texas University, \$1,000,000 from rural schools and \$500,000 from the state normals.

"Farmer" Jim hurled a smashing blow at the Ku Klux Klan. He told of the "dirty work" done by the Klan and told how the Klan would be abolished in Texas when Mrs. Ferguson held the office of Governor.

Says Klan Ruined Party.

"The best government," he said, "is the government that leaves the mind of the citizen free for his own thoughts. We must have freedom of religion, and you can't improve your religion by fighting the other man's."

"I believe there are a lot of good people in the Klan. They got in by mistake. They were taken in while the mask was on and when it was taken off and they looked around them and saw what a crowd they had tied up with, I don't blame them for wearing a mask.

"Look what they've done, nearly ruined the Democratic party. I'll bet there is not a Klansman in the house who will get up and say 'I am a mem-

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WE THANK YOU

The Sweetwater Reporter, once more feeling the urge of patting itself on the back despite the danger of breaking an arm, calls the attention of its readers to the service rendered during the recent Democratic national convention.

From the time that Cogdell Hull, chairman of the national committee, broke the gavel at the convention's opening, until Pat Harrison, Tom Taggart, and the same Hull ran bare headed from the Manhattan Club to tell Charles W. Bryan that he was to run with John W. Davis, The Sweetwater Reporter gave its readers the first news of the big times in New York.

It is true that we had the "break's" on the news, but breaks become brakes unless you take advantage of them. The Sweetwater Reporter was protected every hour during the night sessions on the convention news. Reporter employees were glad to sacrifice July the Fourth and their evening hours for your service, and were ready at all times to give you the news from New York that you desired.

We have heard some nice things about The Reporter service. We feel that you appreciate our efforts, and we thank you.

NAMING A SPADE

The man who calls a spade a spade is always assured of an audience, even if he never gets anything else. The more fearless of those who appear before the public and who can be counted on to say what they think in no uncertain terms are drawing cards where ever they are known.

Jim Ferguson, who won and lost the highest office in the gift of the people of Texas, does not classify a spade as a certain instrument used for digging purposes. He calls a spade a spade, and after he gets it named, he digs with it.

"Farmer Jim" attracted the largest crowd here that has greeted any candidate in the present campaign. Voters who would not cast their ballots for Ferguson would have considered themselves cheated if they had missed his speech. They knew that they would be entertained and amused and at the same time receive the benefit of the experience and knowledge of a man whose common sense is recognized even by his bitterest enemies.

And they would also hear a spade called a spade.

Political prophets say that Mrs. Ferguson has little chance to become Governor of the State. They declare that many persons will go to hear Jim Ferguson, but a comparative few of his hearers will endorse the Ferguson name on the ballot.

Ferguson is a much better speaker than a candidate. Bringing cries and applause from his audience, the Texas war horse swayed his hearers from cheers to tears as he hurled thunder bolts at the things he opposes, and closed his address with a hoarse and impassioned review of the proceedings that led to his removal from office.

If Mrs. Ferguson outdistances her competitors as far in ballots as Jim beats them in the size of his audiences, the race for Governor is settled right now.

The bathing girl doesn't care a rap, snickers the Hale, Mo., Leader.



Robert M. La Follette taken in an unusually striking pose at Washington, D. C., while announcing the issues of the campaign he will wage for the presidency.

OUR WATER SUPPLY

Sweetwater citizens are proud of the fact that State Board of Health officials have tested the water in Lake Trammell, and found no fault with the city's source of supply. We are among sixty-three cities whose water supply was tested and oked by the board during the first six months of 1924.

Lake Trammell is one of the largest and purest bodies of water in the State, and assures an ample water supply not only for residents of Sweetwater, but for industries that its presence may attract here. The water problem is solved by a beautiful natural addition to the city's places of beauty.

The warning issued by the State Board of Health against water that looks good but is not should be heeded by all who stray away from the family hydrant. Lake Trammell water is safe; make sure before you drink from other sources.

Every now and then some one you haven't even missed comes up and tells you he is back again, the Wichita Beacon discovers.

A June bride may not know how to cook, but until he gets over being a bridegroom, her husband doesn't care, smiles the McPherson, Kas.; Republican.

Speaking of being in love, the Hiawatha, Kas., World tells a story of a girl whose mother asked her to wind the clock, and the girl absent-mindedly started a fire in the kitchen stove.

A Topeka drug store has put in a fine line of straw hats, and a Topeka enthusiast has predicted that some druggist is going to put in a line of drugs in his store one of these days.

**Just Received
Low Quarters
From Packard
in Black and
Brown
M. J. Vaughan**

Northern, Smith & Williams
Service Cars
Baggage Hauling and Transfer
Phone 233
Aldredge & Allen Candy Kitchen
or H. Smith, 135-J

**NEW
SPORT
HATS
McCORD BROS.
"The Busy Store"**

BREVITIES

Modern marketing methods caused a little confusion on Oak street recently. A lady came out of a store wheeling a baby buggy, and a gentleman passing prepared for a glimpse of the infant out for the morning air in its carriage.

He received a distinct shock. "Baby" proved to be a capacity load of potatoes. The lady pushing the carriage used this vehicle as her rubber tired market basket.

According to the man, the potatoes were apparently enjoying the ride in peaceful sleep, as their eyes were closed.

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Box Supper For Lodge.

The ladies of the Rebecca Lodge will give an open social meeting and Box Supper Friday evening for the benefit of their drill team. An interesting program is being prepared and there will be plenty of boxes for all buyers. Every lady in the lodge and friends in the city are invited to come and bring a box of lunch.

Neighborhood Picnic.

The ladies and children of the Scales, Boyd and Jones neighborhood on the South Side enjoyed a most pleasant outing Wednesday evening, which ended with a picnic supper at the City Park. The children played games and joined the older members of the party in the water, though not much swimming was done.



Calvin Coolidge Jr., youngest son of the President of the United States, whose recent death was a shock to the entire nation. Calvin Jr., was buried in the family lot at the Plymouth, Vermont, cemetery late Thursday.

TO HAVE AUDITORIUM

Mineral Wells to Remodel Building Seating 5,000.

Special to The Reporter.
MINERAL WELLS, Texas, July 11.—An agreement has been reached whereby the Chamber of Commerce is to take over the present auditorium here, remodel the building, and arrange it so that the city will have an auditorium with a seating capacity of approximately 5,000. The Chamber of Commerce has an option on the building and half interest in the lot for a year, after which it has the privilege of purchasing the property for a sum not to exceed \$10,000. Two big conventions, the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, and the Woodmen of the World, are to be entertained here next spring.

Missionary Societies Meet.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church held a business meeting at the Church Monday afternoon, with the president, Mrs. J. T. Hughes in the chair. She read the scripture lesson from 15th Chapter of John, 7 to 16 verses, and Matthew 13 Chapter and 28th verse. Mrs. John Cox offered the prayer. Mrs. Hughes read the lesson from the "Missionary Voice" on the subject of "Resources opened in answer to Prayer." Mrs. J. K. Simpson closed the meeting with an earnest prayer.

Old Settlers Reunion.

Special to The Reporter.
BONHAM, Texas, July 11.—A two day meeting has been planned for the old settlers of Fannin County, to be held near this city August 1 and 2. Every person who has been in the country 40 years or more is expected to attend. The final session will be turned over to Confederate veterans.

Ted Hall will return home this afternoon from Crosbyton, where he has been on a business trip for several days.

Miss Maggie Lou Price of Baird arrived Tuesday night to spend a few days as guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Powers on Hickory street.

Summer Schedule Snappy.

By The United Press.
HOUSTON, Texas, July 11.—Evening services at the First Christian Church here should be popular. The Rev. Claude L. Jones, pastor has announced that during the summer months, he will preach only 15 minutes.

K. C. Straightens House.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 11.—A month after Kansas City played the royal host to the annual Shrine convention, finds workmen just finishing straightening up the "house." Grandstands built near the union station were finally torn down this week, and the pillars on the plaza are just being dumped into the Missouri river.

Henderson's Hand Crushed.

W. E. Henderson of the Sweetwater Transfer Co., suffered a badly crushed hand while aiding in the moving of the door of the bank vault from the Texas Bank and Trust Co., to the new home of the bank on Oak St. Henderson's hand was caught between the heavy steel door and a wall, crushing two fingers and bruising the others.

Miss Baby Dale Warren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Warren of Abilene, who formerly lived here, passed through the city the other day enroute to Snyder to visit her grand mother, Mrs. M. A. Warren and other relatives at Post City.

STATE COLLECTS

Will Get \$200,000 From Two Large Estates.

By The United Press.
AUSTIN, Texas, July 11.—The state was in the process of collecting \$200,000 today from two large estates in which the liability for tax was admitted.

One was that of P. A. Chapman, Waxahachie, estimated at \$3,500,000, with a liability of \$115,000, and the other that of William Buchanan, Texarkana, \$2,127,230, calling for a tax of approximately \$85,000.

Alathean Class Enjoy Meet.

Mrs. Benton Warren, assisted by her daughter, Miss Clara Maie, entertained the young married women of the Alathean Class of the First Baptist Church, Wednesday afternoon at the Warren home on Oak Street.

A good attendance answered to roll call. Class business and plans for future work claimed the time. Mrs. J. C. Gilliam was elected first vice president and Mrs. Howard Hord was elected press reporter. The next meeting will be held the first Wednesday afternoon in August. A refreshment course was the concluding pleasure. Mrs. H. R. Elliott of Fort Worth, mother of Mrs. Warren, was a welcome guest.

Gleaner's Missionary Society.

During the same hour the Woman's Missionary Society was in a meeting in the church auditorium the members of the Gleaner's Society were in session in basement auditorium, with Mrs. Willard Gibson in charge of the business part of the meeting and Mrs. Ted Hall an interesting missionary program, in which several of the members took a part.

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Birmingham Lady Took Cardui for Relief of Change of Life Troubles and Says It Helped Her "So Much."

Birmingham, Ala.—"I first took Cardui for that tired, worn-out feeling that comes from being dreadfully run-down," says Mrs. Catherine E. Smith, of 2106 Stout Street. "Twenty-five years ago, I was suffering from womanly weakness. I read of Cardui in an almanac, and thought I would try it. I got a bottle and it helped me from the first. After that, during the whole of my married life, I took Cardui when I needed it. "About four years ago, change of life came on me. . . I grew weaker and weaker, and was confined to my bed, where I lay on my back for days. I was told that only a severe operation could do me any good, and this depressed me very much, for I dreaded such an ordeal. "I remembered how Cardui had helped me for female trouble in the past and I had read of how it had helped other women during change of life, so one night I told my husband to go to the drug store and get me a bottle. I began taking it at once. From the first dose I could feel myself getting stronger. I continued to take Cardui until I was entirely through this very trying period of a woman's life." Cardui, at all dealers. NC-158

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WOMAN HEARD TO SAY SHE'D KILL THEM ALL

Tells Neighbors She Meant Just What She Said—Boasts of Carrying Out Her Threat—Shows No Compunction at Act

"I'll say I did some killing," she said when interviewed today. "My husband and children all said if I didn't face it and do some wholesale killing there'd be no more sleep in our home. "Yes, I killed them a-plenty—flies, mosquitoes and bed bugs, and now my tired husband can sleep nights and our house is free from filth-carrying flies, poisonous mosquitoes and disgusting bed bugs. "Fly-Flu is the wonder worker that did it and it is just as destructive to ants, roaches, fleas and moths. Our home never was so sweet and sanitary as it is now." Fly-Flu is harmless to humans, deodorizes and cannot possibly stain. It kills moths (and their eggs) and has fifty-five uses in every home. Substitutes can't and won't do the work. Fly-Flu will amaze you with its magic effect if you follow the directions carefully. Price 50 cents for large bottle and handy sprayer at all drug, grocery and other retail stores.

CHURCH PLANS HOTEL

K. C. Congregation Will Be First In West to Go Into Business

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 11.—A new hotel to cost \$2,500,000, will be erected this year by the Linwood Boulevard Christian church, according to plans now being completed by the finance committee of the church. Dr. Burris Jenkins, pastor of the church, made the announcement and said financial arrangements will be rushed. According to the present plans the building will be of the most modern type and at least twelve stories high. This will include about 500 guest rooms, in addition to office space and store and shop space on the avenues and boulevard, and an auditorium with a seating capacity of 3000 for use of the church. This may, during the week-days, be used as a motion picture theater.

If the plans are carried out the Linwood Boulevard church will be the first in this section of the country to engage in a business project, although in the East the practice has become more or less common.

SAGE TEA DANDY TO DARKEN HAIR

It's Grandmother's Recipe to Bring Back Color and Lustre to Hair

You can turn gray, faded hair beautifully dark and lustrous almost overnight if you'll get a bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound" at any drug store. Millions of bottles of this old famous Sage Tea Recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, are sold annually, say well-known druggists here, because it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that no one can tell it has been applied.

Those whose hair is turning gray or becoming faded have a surprise awaiting them, because after one or two applications the gray hair vanishes and your locks become luxuriantly dark and beautiful. This is the age of youth. Gray-haired, unattractive folks aren't wanted around, so get busy with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound to-night and you'll be delighted with your dark, handsome hair and your youthful appearance within a few days.

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Face, Neck and Arms Easily Made Smooth, Says Specialist

Any breaking out of the skin, even fiery, itching eczema, can be quickly overcome by applying a little Mentho-Sulphur, declares a noted skin specialist. Because of its germ destroying properties, this sulphur preparation begins at once to soothe irritated skin and heal eruptions such as rash, pimples and ring worm. It seldom fails to remove the torment and disfigurement, and you do not have to wait for relief from embarrassment. Improvement quickly shows. Sufferers from skin trouble should obtain a small jar of Rowles Mentho-Sulphur from any good druggist and use it like cold cream.

OUR WATER OKEH

State Board of Health Finds No Fault With Lake Trammell Supply—Warning Issued.

During the first six months of 1924, according to the announcement of Dr. Malone Duggan, State Health officer, the State Board of Health surveyed and inspected 120 water supplies, analyzed specimens of the water, and certified sixty-three city supplies, among them Sweetwater's.

Dr. Duggan says that all untreated water should be looked upon with suspicion unless proven hygienic by analysis. He issues the following warning to the people of the State:

"Beware of clear, sparkling water of springs and wells as you would that of muddy, discolored water furnished as drinking water in some towns and cities. Both are likely to be polluted, and if you value your health, be sure that the water you drink is safe. Typhoid fever, dysentery, and other water borne diseases, are in the majority of cases caused by the drinking of water contaminated by surface drainage or otherwise polluted. This is the Danger season. Have your drinking water analyzed to be sure of its quality."

Where water supplies do not come up to the State standard, but all efforts possible with local finances are being made to improve conditions, cities have been granted provisional certification. Other supplies are known as "Class C" and persons using this water are warned to boil it. Information as to classification of water supply will be furnished by local health officers or the State Board of Health.

KITTENS BORN IN PLANE

Kelly Field Flyers Find Trio Next to Airplane Rudder.

By The United Press. SAN ANTONIO, Texas, July 11.—The roar of a big Liberty 400 horsepower airplane motor in a rush at 90 miles an hour through the air means nothing to three Kelly field kittens. The three kittens were found in the tail of an army airplane by aviators at Kelly Field.

The kittens have been named, Bomber, Martin and Aero. Each morning as the members of the fortieth squadron started out, a cat would suddenly leap from one of the ships and hide in a hangar. After the flight, the cat would return to the plane.

Sergeant William Snowden decided to investigate. In the rear end of the fuselage, next to the rudder, he found the three kittens in a snug nest.

Since their eyes were open the Sergeant figured that they had been flying at least nine days.

Heron Coming to Angelo.

Special to The Reporter. SAN ANGELO, Texas, July 11.—Jamie Heron, one of the greatest lecturers on community building in America, is to address a joint meeting of the Lions and Kiwanis Clubs here. Heron made a great hit at the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention in Brownwood, where he delivered an extemporaneous poem on the greatness of Texas. He is coming here in connection with boosting proposed one-day trade trips to neighboring cities.

Need No More Harvesters.

Special to The Reporter. AMARILLO, Texas, July 11.—The demand for harvest hands in the Panhandle is now practically filled, according to the office of the U. S. Department of Labor. More than 200 hands were placed last week.

Scout Leaders at Amarillo.

Special to The Reporter. AMARILLO, Texas July 11.—Boy Scout executives from the Ninth Region, including Texas, New Mexico, and Oklahoma, are to meet here and go to the national convention in Estes Park, Colorado, according to present plans.

TO HAVE PLAY

De Molays to Stage Mr. and Mrs. Polly Tiek in August.

The Sweetwater Chapter of De Molays have concluded arrangements for staging the play, "Mr. and Mrs. Polly Tiek" at the Palace Theater on August 12.

The production will be home talent. The members of the cast will be announced later.

B. S. Cox and son, Chifton, expect to leave Monday for the opening of the cotton season at Falfurias. They will follow up the crop and get back to Sweetwater by the time the cotton market is open for business in September.

U. D. C. MEET

Plan to Send All Veterans in County to Reunion.

The Daughters of the Confederacy held their regular monthly meeting Tuesday at the court house with a very enthusiastic membership present. Mrs. R. C. Crane was the presiding officer and Mrs. R. C. Ledford, secretary pro-tem.

Rev. J. C. Moore who attended the Confederate Veterans' Reunion at Memphis, Tenn., recently gave a very interesting report of the convention and expressed his appreciation of the Daughters having made it possible for him to attend.

Reports were given of a remembrance having been made on the four birthdays of veterans since last meeting: Capt. A. A. Prince, W. B. Wimberley, Capt. Wright of Fisher County and Veteran Gathing of Roscoe. A remembrance will be sent to Veteran Dunlap at Dora Friday when he will celebrate his birthday anniversary. Miss Mable Spann will present the gift. Two more birthday celebrations will take place in August.

A membership campaign will be waged for the next few weeks to raise the local membership to one hundred and other features are being planned looking forward to the National Reunion at Dallas next June. Plans for the Annual Fiddlers' Reunion which will take place next March are already under way and it is hoped to raise enough money at that time to send every Veteran in the county to Dallas.

READY FOR LEGION

Ballinger To Entertain Convention Saturday.

Special to The Reporter. BALLINGER, Texas, July 11.—Plans for the district convention of the American Legion, to be held here Saturday, have been completed. Among the prominent speakers who will be here are Mark McGee, Brownwood, candidate for state commander of the Legion, and Mrs. Wright Armstrong of Brownwood, candidate for president of the auxiliary. State Adjutant Folbre of the Legion will speak during the convention.

Tom Brown returned to his home at Fort Worth last night following a four day visit in the city with Ray Thomas.

E. J. Roe trainmaster of the T-P was in Sweetwater on business Wednesday and Thursday.

Rev. Dick Tooley of Weatherford, was guest Monday of Rev. J. C. Moore as he returned from holding a successful revival meeting with the Methodist congregation at El Paso Church, near Sweetwater.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Curtiss N. Roden a seven pound girl, and to Mr. and Mrs. Jessie E. Morris, an eight pound girl. Both children were born Monday morning.

Grady Watson of Big Sandy, brother of Miss Stella Watson of Sweetwater, arrived in Sweetwater Sunday and has accepted a position for the summer in the Wright Hotel barber shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Kendall of Port Arthur, are here visiting her sister, Mrs. Ira Armstrong and family. They are accompanied by their mother, Mrs. M. E. Lennan and nephew, Leo Miller of Waco.

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PLAY MOONLIGHT GOLF

Easy to Find Phosphorus Pills, Players Say.

McPHERSON, Kas., July 11.—Members of the McPherson Country Club have the "moonlight golf" bug. Enthusiasts of the game are keeping the course full until late at night with their new found sport. The ball is coated with phosphorus, and the flags and the holes are given a coating of the same material. Players claim that the balls are located much easier than in daylight.

Walsh National Councilor.

SAN ANGELO, Texas, July 11.—Announcement is made by the United States Chamber of Commerce at Washington of the appointment of Col. C. C. Walsh, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, as National Councilor in the National Chamber.

BEGIN NEW STATION

Hampton Bros. to Erect Filling Station on 1st Street.

Work began Thursday on the breaking of ground for the new filling station and garage being built by Hampton Brothers with S. Q. Richardson as contractor, on N. W. 1st street. The building will be located on a lot next to the Smith Rooming House and opposite the new Wooten Grocery Co. building. It is to cost something over \$500.

A lot near the site of the filling station and also opposite the new Wooten building is being leveled off, and a building will probably be erected there in the near future.

Carpenters are putting the finishing touches on a sheet iron building opposite the cotton compress which will be the Brown Hay Barn, and will be a warehouse for feed.

RETURNS FROM SCHOOL

Osler Leach Attended General Electric School.

Osler, son of Dr. and Mrs. S. N. Leach, returned Wednesday night from a month's vacation trip, following a year spent with the General Electric Co., at Schenectady, N. Y., where he has been taking a special electric course. There were 60 students there from Texas but young Leach has decided that a Texas school will do for him next year.

Since leaving school he has spent a week in New York City, where he visited many noted places and historical spots, and had a "look in" on the big convention. Visited several days at Wheeling, W. Va., with Harold Cornwall, whom he formerly knew at Sweetwater. Two days were spent in sight seeing at Washington, D. C.

Osler said that one of the impressive things he learned this year, was the great importance that big electric concern place on resuscitation methods, which is the first lesson taught in the General Electric Co.'s plant.

South Plains Crops Good.

STAMFORD, Texas, July 11.—Reports coming to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce from Amherst, Shallow Water, Sudan and other points south of Amherst on the Plains, state that that territory has had excellent rains at reasonable intervals all through the spring and summer, and that the crops are better than 98 per cent perfect. The rain during June averaged better than 2 inches and there was a little better than a half inch rain on the night of July 2.

Amherst Land Booms.

AMHERST, Texas, July 11.—More than \$1,200,000 has been spent for land purchased in the Amherst territory since August 1, 1923, according to figures compiled by Stanley Watson of this city. This represents one of the largest land improvements in the West. Many of the new settlers in this territory have come from Oklahoma and Kansas.

Judge Clifton C. Perkins returned from a business trip to Snyder the first part of the week.

Miss Nita Otey is enjoying her vacation visiting friends and relatives at Ranger and Belton.

Mrs. J. M. Jordan of Dublin, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. E. P. Doyle and baby son, are guests of her daughter, Mrs. S. I. Edwards. Miss Edwina Shelton, of Los Angeles, Cal., a cousin, is also a guest of Mrs. Edwards.

Bankrupt Petition Filed.

Mrs. Arlee Lealia Burge, owner of the Acme Drug Store of Breckenridge filed a petition in bankruptcy in Federal Court here July 2. The drug store's liabilities are listed at \$2134.33 with assets amounting to \$2000.00. Attorneys in the case are Grisham Bros., Eastland, Texas—Abilene Times.

NO. 1114 Official Statement of the Financial Condition of THE TEXAS BANK AND TRUST COMPANY

at Sweetwater, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1924, published in The Reporter, a newspaper printed and published at Sweetwater, State of Texas, on the 11th day of July, 1924.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$ 363,300.76
Loans, real estate	12,111.00
Overdrafts	10,845.04
Bonds and Stocks	7,000.00
Real Estate (banking house)	75,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	8,500.00
Due from other Banks and Bankers, and cash on hand	121,354.93
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund	5,754.68
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	19,447.23
Acceptances and Bills of Exchange	547.76
Other Resources, Government Certificates	395,348.75
TOTAL	\$1,019,210.15

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus Fund	100,000.00
Undivided profits, net	21,930.10
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net	291.00
Individual Deposits, subject to check	788,010.29
Time Certificates of Deposit	8,936.26
Other liabilities, Dividends unpaid	42.50
TOTAL	\$1,019,210.15

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF NOLAN,

We, G. E. Bradford, as president, and J. N. Dulaney, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

(Signed) G. E. BRADFORD, President; J. N. DULANEY, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of July A. D. 1924, W. E. MORTON, Notary Public, Nolan County, Texas.
CORRECT—ATTEST: T. L. HUGHES, R. A. RAGLAND, E. B. HULL, Directors.

Charter No. 5781

Reserve District No. 11

Report of the Condition of the FIRST NATIONAL BANK

at Sweetwater in the State of Texas, at the close of business on June 30, 1924.

RESOURCES

1. a Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsement of this bank (except those shown in b and c)	\$455,042.95
Total loans	\$455,042.95
2. Overdrafts, unsecured, \$1,269.97	1,269.97
4. U. S. Government securities owned:	
a Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. Bonds par value)	20,000.00
b All other United States Government securities (including premiums, if any)	28,000.00
Total	\$ 48,000.00
5. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.	4,300.00
6. Banking House, \$20,000; furniture and fixtures \$5,000	\$ 25,000.00
7. Real Estate owned other than banking house	6,750.00
8. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	43,531.63
10. Cash in vault and amount due from national banks	301,568.39
11. Amount due from State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States (other than included in Items 8, 9, and 10)	3,462.94
13. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 12)	7,618.19
Total of Items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13	\$312,649.52
15. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	1,000.00
Total	\$897,544.07

LIABILITIES

17. Capital stock paid in	\$0,000.00
18. Surplus fund	30,000.00
19. Undivided profits	\$ 5,321.97
c Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	5,321.97
20. Circulating notes outstanding	20,000.00
22. Amount due to national banks	317.26
23. Amount due to State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries (other than included in Item 21 or 22)	69,515.23
25. Cashier's checks outstanding	12,862.48
Total of Items 21, 22, 23, 24, and 25	\$ 82,694.97
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):	
26. Individual deposits subject to check	399,428.85
27. Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)	4,403.89
28. State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond	119,454.03
30. Dividends unpaid	8,000.00
31. Other demand deposits	19,640.36
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and 31	\$550,927.13
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice and postal savings):	
32. Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)	8,600.00
33. State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond	120,000.00
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Items 32, 33, 34, and 35	128,600.00
Total	\$897,544.07

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF NOLAN,

I, Clyde B. Payne, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Seal) (Signed) CLYDE B. PAYNE, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of July, 1924.
MOLLY HOWE, Notary Public.

CORRECT—ATTEST: R. K. McADAMS, R. H. FITZGERALD, WALTER L. BOOTHE, Directors.

AMUSEMENTS

The real story of the shooting of Dan McGrew, made famous by the Robert W. Service poem, was told to Service by "Doc" Sudgeon, physician and explorer, eye witness who ducked when the lights went out, and forms the basis for the famous poem as well as the motion picture version of the story, now playing at the R and R Palace.

McGrew, whose real name was "Wyoming Bill," was from a refined Boston family, according to the story, and fell in love with a married woman in Boston, who is the "Lou" of the Dan McGrew triangle. They fled west, and her husband, a talented musician, followed. McGrew became a gambler, Lou stuck by him, and they drifted north, where Dan ran a gambling table in a bar room at Juneaux, during the Klondike rush.

The rest of the tale is well known

to Service readers. "Doc" Sudgeon, who was seated in one corner of the room, told how Lou's husband entered the saloon, seated himself at the piano, and stilled the din of the gambling hall with his wonderful music. At last a crash of chords, the stranger rose, and called for the "hound of hell"—Dan McGrew. Two shots and a woman's scream, the bar keeper turned on the lights, and both men lay dead, while Lou knelt at her husband's side and kissed him.

D. D. Keenan of Sweetwater, who went to the Klondike when the gold rush was on, witnessed the shooting, and verified the facts as told by Sudgeon. The two men were killed in a place called "Nuggets," however, Keenan stated, and not in the Malumute Saloon, the name used by Service in his poem.

New York is the city of opportunities. A man who went there broke now owes \$203,005.85.

Reserve District No. 11

Charter No. 11468 Report of the Condition of the CITY NATIONAL BANK

at Sweetwater, in the State of Texas, at the close of business, June 30, 1924.

RESOURCES

1. a Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsement of this bank (except those shown in b and c)	\$346,137.33
Total Loans	\$346,137.33
2. Overdrafts, secured, \$1,476.98; unsecured, \$1,766.48	3,243.46
4. U. S. Government securities owned:	
a Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. Bonds par value)	100,000.00
b All other United States Government securities (including premiums, if any)	65,397.55
Total	\$165,397.55
5. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.	4,807.60
6. Furniture and fixtures \$20,000.00	20,000.00
7. Real estate owned other than banking house	9,815.45
8. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	23,958.16
10. Cash in vault and amount due from national banks	82,780.44
11. Amount due from State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States (other than included in Items 8, 9, and 10)	29,825.77
13. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 12)	4,001.03
Total of Items 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13	\$116,607.24
14. b Miscellaneous cash items	32.71
15. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	5,000.00
TOTAL	\$694,499.50

LIABILITIES

17. Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00
18. Surplus fund	6,500.00
19. Undivided profits	\$ 6,189.19
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	\$ 6,189.19
20. Circulating notes outstanding	100,000.00
22. Amount due to national banks	45,635.65
23. Amount due to State banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries (other than included in Items 21 or 22)	7,718.09
25. Cashier's checks outstanding	2,405.30
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):	
Total of Items 21, 22, 23, 24, and 25	\$ 55,759.04
26. Individual deposits subject to check	264,939.80
27. Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)	2,935.46
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, and 31	267,875.26
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice and postal savings):	
32. Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)	8,176.01
33. State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond	150,000.00
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Items 32, 33, 34 and 35	158,176.01
TOTAL	\$694,499.50

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF NOLAN,

I, Oscar Pate, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Seal) (Signed) OSCAR PATE, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of June, 1924.
D. A. CLARK, Notary Public.

CORRECT—ATTEST: S. C. GLASS, MOSE NEWMAN, S. I. EDWARDS, Directors.

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Fine Cocks—all sizes from one to ten gallons.

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FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front bed room. Private entrance. All conveniences. Close in. 511 Locust street. Phone 467. 139t3c

FOR RENT—Three furnished light housekeeping rooms in modern home, at 110 Bowie Street. 139t3c

FOR RENT—Two nice large rooms, furnished for house keeping. At 310 N. W. 2nd street. Phone 282. 137tfc

FOR RENT—To persons without children, two room apartment. 304 E. Third street. Phone 418. 135tfc

FOR RENT—Five-room apartment, unfurnished. Will rent any number of these rooms reasonable. 808 E. N. 2nd. 136tfc

MISCELLANEOUS.

Have location for combination, grocery, market, and bakery; attractive rental contract to right party. Rufus Wright. 117tfc

FOR SALE—Chevrolet touring, been run about five thousand miles, at a bargain for quick sale. Western Motor Co. 128tfc

FOR SALE—Four room house, \$650 cash, balance like rent. Milton Pate. Palace Barber Shop. 130tfc

FOR SALE—Five room bungalow, east front, on Beall street 1-2 blocks from East Ward School. Mrs. Guy Morris, phone 386. 134tfc

WANTED—Boarders, \$1.00 a day. Berman Apartments. 408 N. E. 2nd street. 136t3dp

FURNISHED ROOMS—Close in, all modern conveniences. Gentlemen only. Telephone 296. 136t4dp

MACHINIST WANTED—At once, apply Sweetwater Cotton Oil Co., Machine Shop. 135t5c

WANTED TO BUY—Two flat top desks. Call U. S. Gypsum Plant. 139t3

LOST—Ford casing and rim. Notify Sweetwater Dry Goods Co. 139t3c

FOR SALE—Choice lots Bradford Addition; another good home; 200 acre cotton farm. G. E. Ramsey, 714 Bowie Street. 106tfc

Have space in Hotel Wright for a first class beauty parlor. Rufus Wright. 129tfc

Attractive terms on 18 acres close in for dairy, trucks, farm or chicken ranch. See Irwin and McBurnett, phone 625. 118tfc

BOARD AND ROOM—W. F. Reynolds, 1005 Oak Street, phone 483. 130t5c

WANTED—To trade 160-a. well improved farm for unencumbered Sweetwater property. See Harry Cress at Texas Hotel. 131tfc

FOR SALE—Maxwell four passenger coupe; terms. Phone 546. 132tfc

ROOM AND BOARD—902 Locust street. Phone 205. 132tfc

LAND WANTED—500 to 1000 acres. Have two clear farms and a nice residence in Hopkins County, 138 acres in one farm, other 149 acres, well improved, will assume or pay cash difference for 500 to 1000 acres well improved farm and ranch near Sweetwater, see L. C. Morris, 226 Bedell Bldg., San Antonio, Texas. 134tfc

FOR SALE—My residence 905 Walnut; good buy for someone; terms to suit. Mark Litefield. 135t6p

WANTED TO BUY—A few young heifer calves. Phone 351. 137t5c

LOST—Three and half-inch Diamond tread casing and rim. Finder please leave at Willis Art Studio or ring 214. 138t2dc

FOR TRADE—Ford roadster body and truck bed for touring car body; will give difference. Call Central Hotel, H. B. Latschaw. 138t3p

FERTILE EGGS—30 cents a dozen. Every egg guaranteed. First House south of refinery, Lake Trammell road. Pete Weikel, Sweetwater 138t5

STRAYED—Black pony about 14 hands high; mane clipped some time ago. Notify Homer Williams, Box 421, Sweetwater, phone 344. 137t3

Political Announcements

The following announce their candidacy for the various offices named below, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

For Tax Collector:
JIM BUTLER
MISS WILLIE ELLIOTT Re-election

FOR TAX ASSESSOR
H. P. HARKINS re-election

For Public Weigher Precinct One
LLOYD ROGERS, re-election

FOR COUNTY JUDGE
A. S. Mauzey re-election
Jno. H. Cochran Jr.

FOR COMMISSIONER—Precinct 1
W. H. Thompson, re-election.
A. J. Roy.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2
G. W. Koerth
Sy Dennis

FOR COMMISSIONER, Precinct 3
G. O. McGinley, Hylton.

FOR COMMISSIONER, Precinct 4
Geo. Eatwell, Maryneal

COUNTY CLERK
Gus Farrar, re-election.

FOR SHERIFF
Jack Yarbrough re-election.
Jesse Lambert.

SUPERINTENDENT Public Instruction.
Miss Minnie Fowler, re-election.
J. C. Gilliam.
Will H. Scott

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY
R. D. Cox, Jr., re-election.

For District Clerk
DAN CHILDRESS, Re-Election

FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE, Precinct 1
L. W. Brashear, re-election.
John Bryan.

For County Treasurer
W. T. HIGHTOWER, Re-Election
G. C. Farris.

FOR STATE SENATE
Harry Tom King, Abilene, Texas.
Jesse R Smith
(Stephens County)
Judge B. L. Russell, Baird.

MOTOR MANNERS

Motor manners will go a long way toward overcoming motor madness, President Thomas P. Henry of the American Automotive Association believes. He issued a set of rules and courtesies of the road just before the Fourth of July, in anticipation of the unusual traffic over the week-end, that will not only be good before all holidays, but when ever your car is on the road:

"Remember that thousands of drivers are on their first tour and accordingly make allowances for their shortcomings.

"If you must arrive at your destination, at a certain hour, don't start late and drive fast, but start early.

"Horn at the top of all hills and at all turns in the road even if you seldom meet cars on these points in ordinary driving. There may be from five to ten times as many cars on the road during the holidays.

"Turn into a side road when changing tires or making roadside repairs, and do not stop on the main highway for picnic lunches.

"Familiarize yourself with the traffic regulations in the cities and towns you plan to pass through. Your local automobile club can supply you with the necessary information.

"There will be more children than usual playing in the streets of cities and towns. Drive slowly and see that your brakes are in order.

"Do not let minors and inexperienced members of your family take the wheel over the holidays. Let them learn next week when more cars are in the garage.

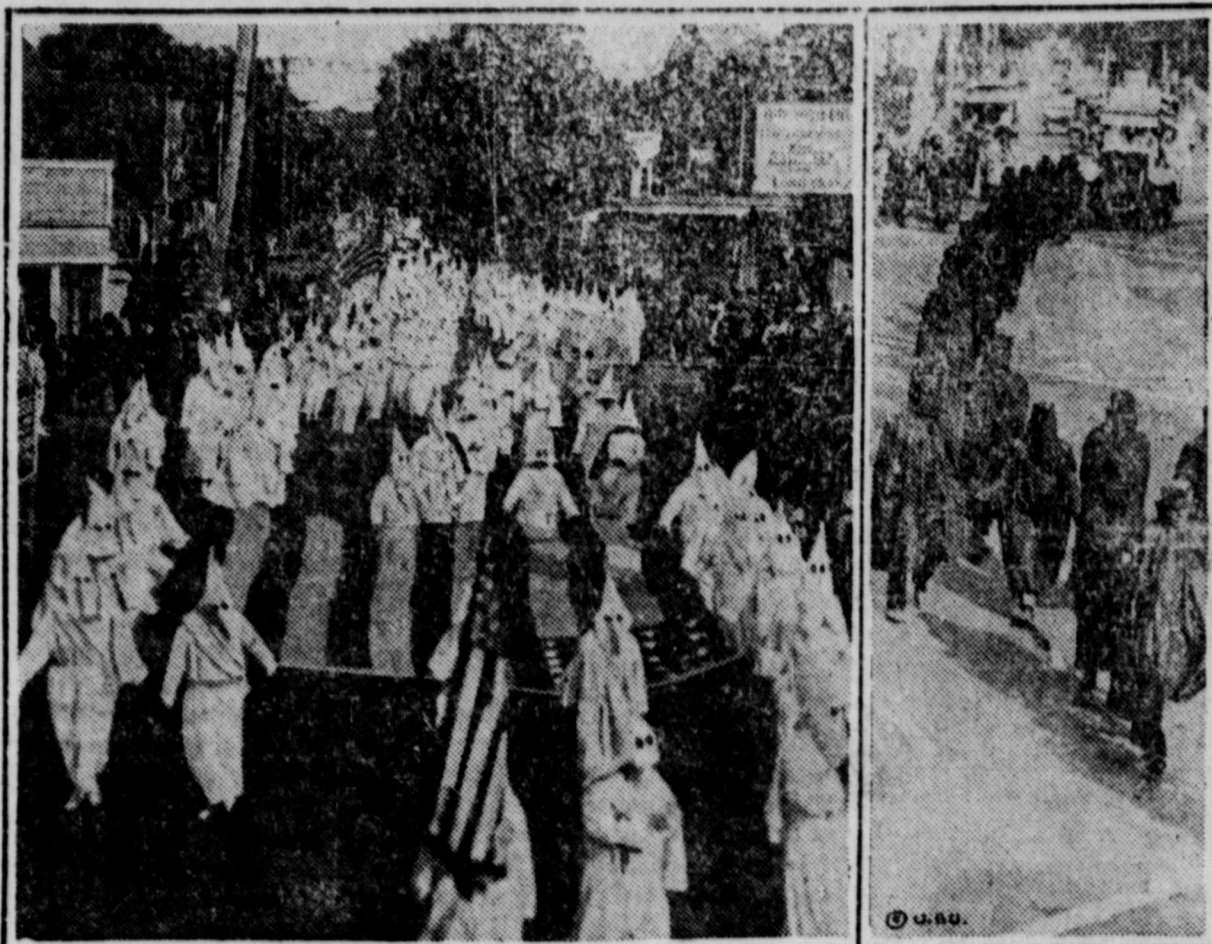
"Endeavor to use secondary routes rather than main-traveled highways. They are more enjoyable and safer over holidays.

"Know your way so that you do not make abrupt stops enroute, endangering those who fail to anticipate your sudden changes in speed and direction.

"It's always train time at any grade crossing, but remember that over holidays many roads are on an increased schedule with trains running more frequently than usual.

"Be accurate with your hand signaling. You may be a clever driver but your safety depends on helping to compensate for the shortcomings of many inexperienced drivers who find holidays their one opportunity for trip taking."

K. K. K. Forces Rally in New Jersey



About 15,000 Ku Klux Klansmen gathered in Long Branch, N. J., on Independence Day. Larger photo shows parade through Long Branch streets by the hooded men, while the other shows those about to be initiated, garbed in black, who also hide their faces.

FERGUSON SPEAKS (Continued from page one)

ber and proud of the Ku Klux Klan." "If they were in power and after they had driven out the Catholics and Jews, they would be overcome with their power and look about them for other victims. Then they'd be likely to spy my good old friend, the hard-shelled Baptist church. After they got rid of them, they'd probably turn on the Christian Church next, and so on down the line. They would grow wilder and bigger-headed with more power and after they had done away with all the churches and chased them out, they would turn on us poor sinners who are not Klansmen and kick us out, too.

Jim's K. K. K. Remedy.

"The Ferguson Platform has two remedies for that. When my wife is Governor, the Legislature would be asked to pass a law compelling every secret society to file a complete list of their membership at the county court house. If they failed to do this, the officers of the society would be jailed and the charter be revoked.

"Another law would make it a crime for a person to appear in public with a mask on, or for three or more to gather in private with the mask on.

"You may say that this is a very stringent law, and it is. But if the Klan ain't doing any crime, what the devil are they kicking for? There has been more crime in the last three years since the Klan has introduced the mask, than there was before."

Ferguson attacked and ridiculed other candidates for the office. He said they talked around in a circle and that the Ferguson platform was the only one that offered specific relief of taxes. He said he would be afraid to die if he had the record of "some of these governors." In speaking of other candidates he declared that "one original, independent idea would bust the head of any one of them."

Reviews His Impeachment.

In conclusion, Ferguson reviewed his impeachment and the circumstance of his removal from office. In a pathetic and tragic way he told how he had been impeached by "inhuman judgment because he had stood in the way of a crowd who wanted to take money away from the little school child and give it to that bunch down at Austin.

"I might have made a mistake," he concluded, "but I have never done any intentional wrong."

The largest crowd that has heard a candidate speak here this year filled the district court room long before Ferguson made an appearance. The crowd was made up mostly of farmers, many of them coming from miles around to hear the speaker. Many women were in the audience and feeble, gray-headed men composed a third of the crowd present. The audience was liberal in its applause, hand clapping and cheers coming at frequent intervals.

Ferguson spoke in a clear, steady tone during the first of his speech, but a slight and feeble tone was noticeable in his voice as he told of his trial and impeachment. He gave way to slang frequently, and quoted funny stories occasionally.

Ferguson was given a rousing introduction by T. Vard Woodruff of Sweetwater.

Help the Public Library fund by attending the Big Water Carnival next Tuesday evening, high diving, fancy diving and many swimming events will be on the program. All the men, women, boys and girls of the community that can do either are invited to take a part in the fun. 25 cents gate fee. 139t1c

Don't fail to get our prices on Goodyear tires before you buy. Western Motor Company. Goodyear Service Station. 137t3c

Attend the Water Carnival Tuesday afternoon and see Mrs. F. G. Robertson, Mrs. R. M. Chitwood, Mrs. J. A. McCurdy, Mrs. Geo. Gray, Mrs. Hubert Toler, Mrs. Olen Collins, and a number of other married ladies enter

the swimming and diving events. Among some of the best known water artists among the men and boys will be Charlie Rogers, Murray Hubbard, O. B. Freeman, L. L. Armour, Laslare Robertson, Dell Dennis, Leland Glass, and a host of others. A whole chorus of under 18 "bathing beauties" and a bevy of under 12, girls will enter both swimming and diving contests. 139t1c

The hard-boiled looking fellow sitting at the desk in the corner, and who never smiles is the editor of the humor column, usually. I. N. S.

Get ready to go to the big Water Carnival and Picnic next Tuesday afternoon at 6:30 o'clock. Plenty of ice cold soda pop for every body, will be on sale. Benefit of the Public Library .25c gate fee. 139t1c

Don't miss the swimming and diving contests at the Santa Fe Lake next Tuesday evening. Twenty-five, 50 and 100 yards will be the limit for all swimming contests. An inner tube race for boys between 12 and 16 is to be one of the features on the program. All contestants to furnish their own tubes. All boys entering the tub race are asked to bring along their tubs. 139t1c

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